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ENERGY DEPARTMENT

(Power-III)

AMENDMENTS TO SECOND TRANSFER SCHEME FOR GIVING EFFECT TO THE TRANSFER OF ASSETS, PROPERTIES, LIABILITIES, OBLIGATIONS, PROCEEDINGS AND PERSONNEL OF APTRANSCO TO FOUR DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES CONSTITUTED IN TERMS OF SUBSECTION (6) OF SECTION 23 OF A.P. ELECTRICITY REFORM ACT, 1998 AND INCORPORATED UNDER COMPANIES ACT, 1956.

[G.O.Ms.No. 31, Energy (Power-III), 30th March, 2001.]

In exercise of the powers conferred by sections 23 and 24 of the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Reform Act, 1998 the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby makes the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Reform (Transfer of Distribution Undertakings from APTRANSCO to Distribution Companies) Order, 2000, issued in G.O.Ms.No.35, Energy (Power.III) Department, dated the 31st March, 2000.

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2. These amendments shall be deemed to have come into force with effect from 31st March, 2000.

AMENDMENTS

In the said order,-

(1) In paragraph (4), for sub-paragraph (1), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"(1). Subject to the terms and conditions contained herein, the State Government hereby provides that the transfer of the Distribution Undertakings made under the Second Transfer Scheme shall be provisional upto 30-9-2001."

(2) In clause 2 definitions, in sub-clause (1),-

(i) for item (j), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"(j) "Distribution Business" means the business of distribution and retail supply of electricity in areas I, II, III and IV as the case may be."

(ii) for item (l), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"(l) "Effective Date" means the date on which this order is published in the Andhra Pradesh Gazette."

(iii) for item (t), the following shall be substituted, namely:-

"(t) "Transferee" means APDISTCO-I, APDISTCO-II, APDISTCO-III and APDISTCO-IV as the case may be"

(3) In clause 7.1, in sub-clause(4), in item (g) in sub-item (i), for the expression "Each of the Transferees shall, within a period not exceeding 12 months after the effective date, establish appropriate trusts for provident fund, pension and gratuity in accordance with applicable law", the expression, "Each of the Transferees shall, within a period not exceeding 15 months after the effective date, establish appropriate trusts for provident fund, pension and gratuity in accordance with applicable law" shall be substituted.

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Principal Secretary to Government.